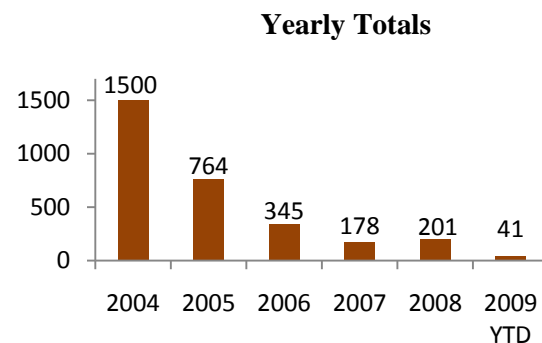
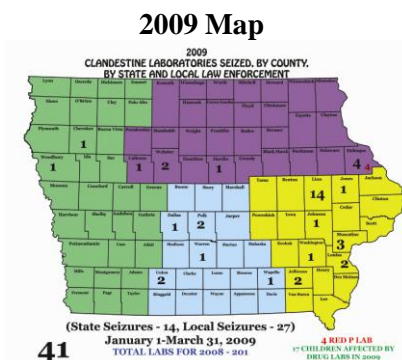


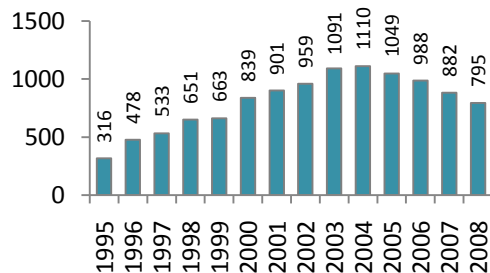
Iowa Drug Trends

- ➔ Meth labs in Iowa have dropped by 87% since their peak in 2004, but increased 13% last year compared to 2007.

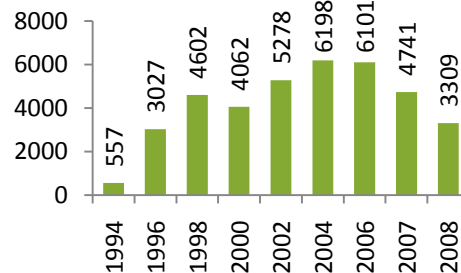
Meth Lab Incident Responses (Iowa DPS-CYs):



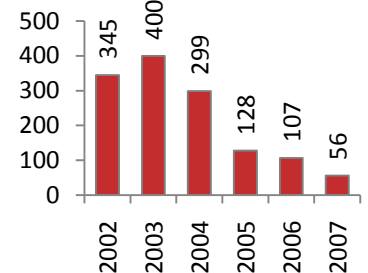
New Drug-Related Prison Admissions (Iowa DHR, CJJP-FYs)



Iowa "Primary" Meth Treatment Clients Admissions (SFY)

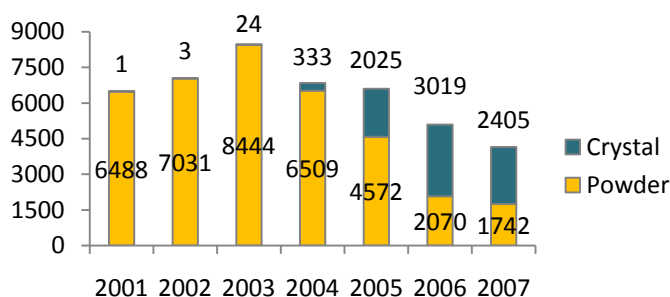


Manufacturing Meth in Presence of a Minor (Iowa DHS-CYs)

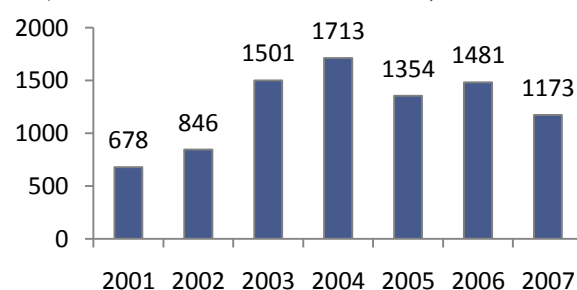


- ➔ Drug-related prison admissions, driven by reductions in meth cases, have declined for the 4th straight year.
- ➔ About **80%** of offenders in Iowa prisons had a past or current drug problem. Among those inmates, **52%** of women and **50%** of men had used meth. Roughly **51%** of prisoners needing treatment get it (Iowa DOC & CJJP, 2006-2008).
- ➔ Iowa still has the **11th** highest number of meth treatment admissions in the nation (2007 TEDS).
- ➔ There are 45% more treatment admissions that occur via the criminal justice system in counties that are covered by drug task forces than those that are not.
- ➔ A study of open child abuse cases in SW IA shows meth involved in **51%** in 2007, versus 46.7% in 2006. Although the percentage is up, the actual numbers of total cases and meth related cases have both gone down (Iowa DHS).

Forms of Meth Tested by Crime Lab (Iowa DPS-CYs)



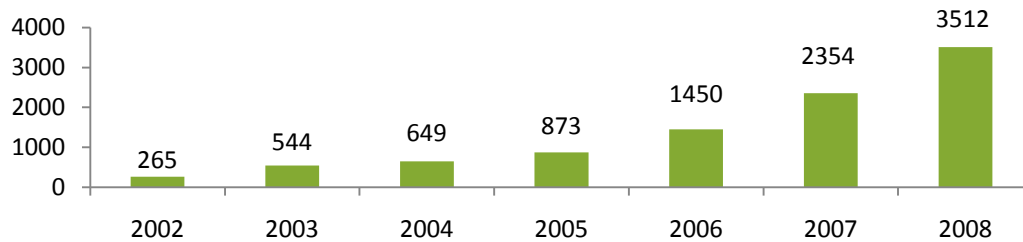
Presence of an Illegal Drug in Child's Body (Confirmed Child Abuse Cases, Iowa DHS-CYs)



- ➔ Authorities report a rise in crystal meth, a more potent form of meth, smuggled into Iowa from Mexico and other states.
- ➔ Child abuse due to meth labs is declining, but over **8,700** drug-affected cases were reported in the last 7 years (IA DHS-CYs).

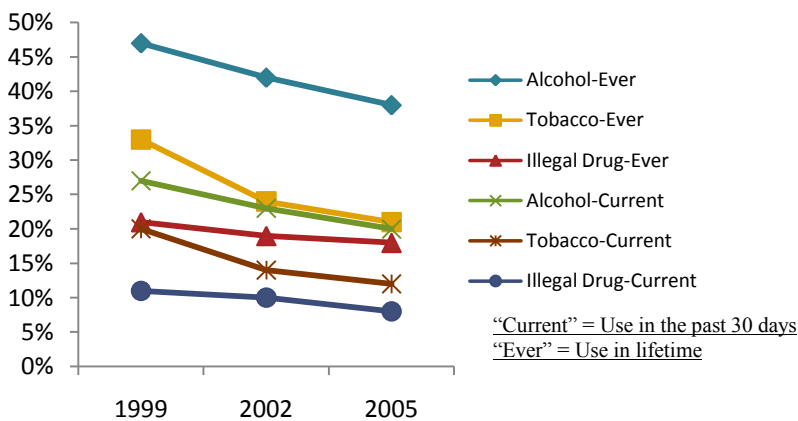
- ➔ Public calls to the Statewide Poison Control Center to identify Hydrocodone and Oxycodone pills have increased **1225%** since 2002.

Hydrocodone and Oxycodone ID Calls from Iowans (Iowa SPCC-CYs)

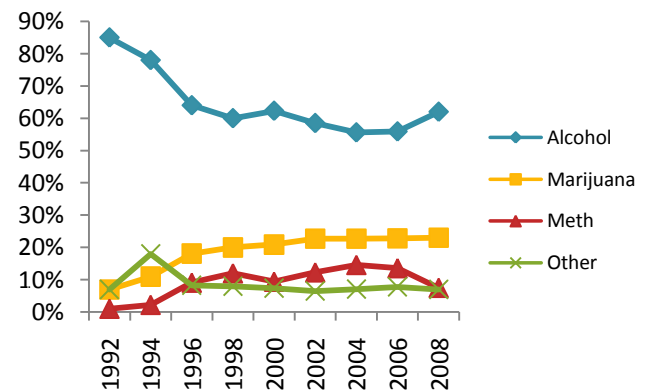


- ➔ Medicines account for 5 of the top 10 substances involved in poisonings in Iowa. Pain medicine is #1.
- ➔ Three recent Iowa Youth Surveys show steady drops in substance use among 6th, 8th & 11th grade students.

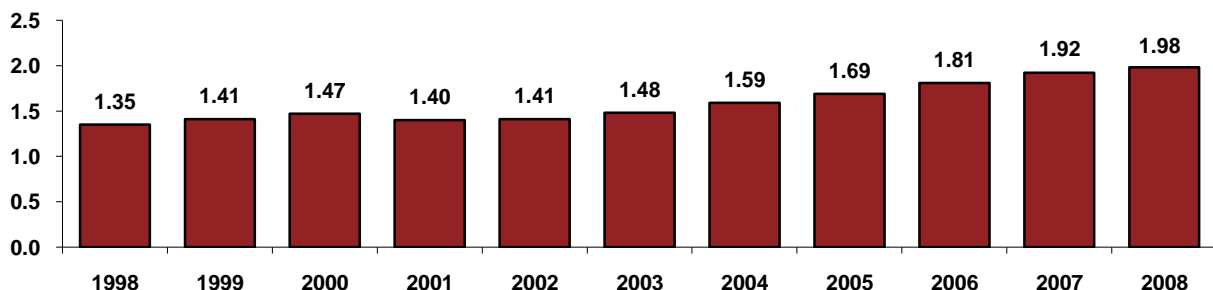
Iowa Youth Surveys (RISE, ISU-CYs)



Primary Substance of Abuse Trends Among Youth and Adults (Iowa DPH-FYs)



- ➔ Of Iowa youth seeking treatment, **55%** cited marijuana as their primary substance of abuse (Iowa DPH, SFY 2008).
- ➔ **Alcohol** is the substance most abused by Iowans... **61.9%** of clients screened/admitted to treatment (Iowa DPH, SFY2008).
- ➔ For SFY2008, Iowa liquor sales increased by **6.4%**, beer sales rose by **1.8%** and wine sales by **3%** (ABD, SFY 2008).



- ➔ So much alcohol was sold, the average adult Iowan consumed 37.23 gallons of beer, 1.98 gallons of liquor, and 1.69 gallons of wine during the 12 month period of SFY2008 (ABD, SFY2008).